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METAL HALIDE LAMP, HEADLIGH APPARATUS FOR VEHICLE USING THE SAME, AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING METAL HALIDE LAMP

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